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Intimations.

A. S. WATSON & Co., Limited.
(Incorporated in A.D. 1881.)
THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY,
HONGKONG.
Wholesale and Retail Druggists.
FAMILY DISPENSING AND
GENERAL CHEMISTS.
PATENT MEDICINE PROPRIETORS.
WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANTS.
MANUFACTURERS OF AERATED
WATERS.
By Steam Machinery.
CIGAR IMPORTERS, &c., &c.

In submitting an abridged Synopsis of a few of the chief lines of goods included in our business, we beg to state that we import Drugs, Chemicals, and Goods of every kind of the best description only—no other quality is kept in stock.
Our long experience and intimate acquaintance with the Trade, and the best sources of supply, enable us to purchase direct from the Producers on the very best terms, and thus give us an advantage which enables us to offer our constituents the benefit of a considerable reduction in the price of all our Specialties as compared with similar articles sold elsewhere.
We wish to be clearly understood that our prices cannot be beaten by any other firm in the Colony; and we trust it will soon become generally known that, for quality for quality, our charges all round compare favourably with local rates, and in most instances with those ruling at home.
Experienced qualified English Assistants only are employed in the preparation and dispensing of Medicines.
Analysis of all kinds.—We are in a position to well attend to the interests of our Clients.

FAMILY & DOMESTIC MEDICINES,
AND OTHER GOODS AND APPLIANCES
KEPT IN STOCK.

NURSERY AND INVALIDS' REQUISITES.
Infants' Feeding Bottles, Dittos, Rattles and Teats, Food Warmers, Lamps, and Night Lights.
Invalids' Feeding Cups and Tubes.
Breast Belts, Nipple Shields, Violet Powder, Perfumes, and Soaps.
Infants' Food of all kinds.
Bain's Essence of Beef, Mutton, Chicken, &c., &c.
Lieber's Extract of Beef.
Valentine's Meat Juice.
Condensed Milk: Corn Flour, Bermuda Arrowroot, Russian Linseed Oil, Prepared Glycerine, &c., &c.

MEDICAL AND DOMESTIC APPLIANCES, &c.
Cholera Belts, Molar and Parthenware Bed Pans, Disinfectants, and Medicated Toilet Papers, Fumigating Pastilles, Vaporizers, &c., &c.
SOUTHALL'S Sanitary Towels for Ladies' use.

Ear and Ears: Springs, Bongs, Candles, Penicillins, Trusses, Elastic Silk Stockings, Knee Caps, Anklets, Wristlets, and Bandages of all kinds.
Urinals, Male or Female, in Glass, Earthenware, or India Rubber.
Water-proof Sheet.
Iron Bins for Food and Spices.
Bronchitis Kettles, Hot Water Bottles.
Client and Lady Protection.
Adhesive Plaster, Court Dittos.
Cora and Bonnet Plasters.
Lint, Oiled Silk, Gutta Serena, Tissue, Japanese Hot Boxes, Air Cushions.
Mustard Leaves, Sponges, Pillows.
Lined Mats for Fountains, Poultries, &c., &c.
Mittens, Measures, Medicine Glasses, and Spoons, Champagne and Soda Water Taps, Scales, &c., &c.
Eye Baths, Droppers and Douchees, Throat Sprays, Inhalers and Inhalators, Laryngoscopes, Hypodermic Syringes.

THERMOMETERS, &c.
Chemical, Clinical, and Bath Thermometers.
Six's Minimum and Maximum Thermometers, Alcoholometers, Barometers, Galvanometers, Hydrometers, Lectometers, Urinometers, Specific Gravity Bottles, Flasks, Test Tubes, Test Papers, &c., &c.

SUN SPECTACLES AND GOGGLES
with Blue, Green, and Smoked Glasses, Eye Preservers and Shades of all kinds.

DENTAL AND SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS.
Ear Corns, and Trampets, Conversation Tubes, Gum Knives, and Razors, Canal Hair Pencils, Ligature Cutters, Silver Wire, Pacifiers, Knives and Scissors, Pocket Dressing Cases and Instruments, Probing, Respirators, Dispensing Scales and Weights.

MEDICINE CHESTS.
Medicine Chests for family and travellers' use.
Ships' Medicine Chests fitted in accordance with the regulations of the Board of Trade.

Medicine Chests refitted complete at a few hours notice.
Medicine Chests containing a list of useful Domestic Medicines with their Properties and Doses.

ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES.
Magneto-Electric Machines for the Cure of Nervous Diseases, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, &c., &c.
Electric Hair Brushes for preventing baldness.
Electrostatic Dials for Dyspepsia, Rheumatism, Lumbago, &c.
Electric Bells, Batteries, Pumps, Inductors, Wires, and appliances generally.

HOMEOPATHIC MEDICINES.
We always have on hand a varied assortment of these kinds in most general demand.
VACCINE.
We import regular supplies of Pure Fresh Calf Lymph by every Mail from England.
Vaccine Liniments and Vaccine Inoculation Shields.

WATER FILTERS.
STERILIZED GIBSON FILTERS, &c., &c.
MASON & SONS' (Patent).
In Glass and Terra Cotta for Table use.
Earthenware for ordinary Domestic Purposes.
Pocket Filters for Travellers.

Intimations.

TOILET REQUISITES.
JOSEPH ROGERS & Sons' "SHEPHERD" Razors, Soissors, and Penknives.
Razors, Soissors, Pens, and Paper.
Ear, Tooth, and Nail Picks and Trimmers.
Hand and Mirror. Toilet Sets.
Smelling Bottles of all kinds.
Gloves, and Patent Drying Bottles.
Dressing Combs.
Hair, Tooth, Nail, Bath, and Shaving Brushes in great variety.
Connectives, Hair Lotions and Pomades.
Tooth Pastes, Powders, and Soaps.
Turkish Towels, and Straps, &c., &c.
Baths and Toilet Sponges of all sizes.
Fino English and Continental Toilet Brushes and Perfumery Spray Diffusers. An Elegant Assortment of various designs.

CHOICE PERFUMERY.
English, French, and American.
A large selection of all kinds kept in stock to choose from.

SOAPS.
Family, Toilet, Medicinal, and Translucent.
In addition to those of our own make, all of which we can confidently recommend, we keep a large and varied assortment of the following well-known makes, viz.:—
Atkinson's, Calvert's, Colgate's, Hendrie's, Lubin's, Pearl's, &c., &c.

GENUINE PATENT MEDICINES.
European and American Patent Medicines, Specialties, and Proprietary Remedies, imported direct from the Original Makers or their appointed Agents.
Special Agents for Burroughs, Wellcome & Co.'s New and Popular Remedies.
Koppe's Extract of Malt—Ditto with Cod Liver Oil. Wyeth's Tablets—and Preparations of all kinds.
Fehrlid's Digestive Peptonoids, Zymine, &c., &c.
SOLE AGENTS for Scott's Emulsion of Cod Liver Oil.

MINERAL WATERS OF ALL KINDS.
Apollinaris, Carlsbad, Essling, Friedrichshall, Hunyadi Janos, Pilsener, Vals, Vichy, &c.
We import direct shipments of all the above regularly at short intervals.

PHOTOGRAPHIC GOODS.
Photographic Apparatus, Chemicals, and Materials of all kinds suitable for Amateurs and Professionals, including Cameras, Lenses, Bells, Trays, Lamp, Mounts, &c.
Our Cameras and Lenses are of exceptional quality, specially made for use in tropical climates, and fitted with all the latest improvements.
Glass SEES OF APPARATUS FOR AMATEURS AND PROFESSIONALS. Three sizes, viz.: 1, 2, and 3, and whole plate. Complete in strong Wood Cabinets.
Photo Chemicals and Sundries of all kinds at Moderate Prices.
Albumenized and Sensitized Papers.
Thompson's Cellulose and Kodak.
Dry Plates—Thermos, Ilford, and Watson & Watson's kept in Stock.
Price list of Photo. goods supplied gratis and post free on application.

FLOWER & VEGETABLE SEEDS.
We import the newest and best varieties obtainable every season direct from the best growers in England, France, and Germany. Full Catalogue and price list (with "Hints for Gardening") to be had on application.

AERATED WATERS.
Our Factory has been recently refitted with the latest and most approved kind, and we are well able to compete in quality with the best English Makers.
The purest ingredients only are used, and the utmost care and cleanliness are exercised in the manufacture throughout.
Four Coast Ports—Waters are packed and placed on board ship at Hongkong prices, and the full amount allowed for Freight & Duties when received in good order.
Analysis Reports and full particulars to be had on application.

WINES AND SPIRITS.
We invite attention to our fine old brand Brandy, all of which are of excellent quality and good value for the money.
The same being specially selected by our London House, and bought direct from the most noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled by ourselves, thus enabling us to supply the best goods at moderate prices.
Price list to be had on application.

MANILA CIGARS AND CIGARETTES.
A carefully selected and well-matured stock of most of the best makes and our own special brands always on hand.
We can deliver boxes of 500 or more to any address in England, duty and all expenses paid.

CIGARETTES.
We import direct shipments of the following favorite Brands regularly at short intervals.
Sweet Caporal, Richmond Gem, and Old Judge.

TOBACCO.
Pipes, Cigar and Cigarette Tubes, Cigar and Cigarette Cases, Pouches, Cigarette Machines, and a varied assortment of Smokers' Requisites.

GOODS FOR COAST PORTS.
Whenever practicable, are dispatched by the regular steamer service, and under most articles can be sent by the local Parcel Post. All retail orders of the value of five dollars and upwards are sent freight or postage paid.
Orders through Local Post or by Telegram receive prompt attention.
Addressed Envelopes, Order Forms, and Aerated Water Counterfoils supplied free on application.

A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd.
THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY,
HONGKONG.

BRANCH ESTABLISHMENTS.
A. S. WATSON & Co., Limited.
THE SHANGHAI PHARMACY, SHANGHAI.
BARRA LINDSAY, MANILA, Ecceola, 14.
THE DISPENSARY, CANTON.
THE DISPENSARY, FOCHOW.
THE DISPENSARY, TIENTSIN.
LONDON OFFICE,
110, Fenchurch Street, E.C.

Intimations.

HONGKONG CLUB.
NOTICE.
AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF THE MEMBERS OF THE CLUB will be held in the Club House, on MONDAY, the 24th Inst., at 4.30 p.m., for the purpose of electing a Committee to receive the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Committee and Auditors.
By Order,
C. H. GRACE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, February 18, 1890. 327

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Seventh Ordinary General Meeting of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company, Prince Central, on SATURDAY, the 23rd March, at Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Committee and Auditors.
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 21st to 23rd Proximo, both days inclusive.

RUSSELL & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, February 18, 1890. 328

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE KWONG KWAN YEEN CHALLENGE CUPS.—Value \$200 and \$100 respectively. Also TWO CONSOLATION CUPS, value \$100 each.
The Rifle Association Competition will take place NEXT SATURDAY, the 22nd Instant, at 2.15 p.m., commencing at 900 Yards. Entrance Fee, 30 Cents.
A Launch will leave the P. & O. Wharf at 2 p.m. to take over intending Competitors.

A. SHELTON HOOVER,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, February 17, 1890. 313

THE HONGKONG ROPE MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Sixth Ordinary General Meeting of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Office of the Company, Prince Central, on FRIDAY, 21st February, at Three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Committee and Auditors.
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 8th to 21st Inst., both days inclusive.

RUSSELL & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, February 5, 1890. 236

MRS. FALCONER HAS VACANCIES
for GALEONER RESIDENT BOARDS at Kowloon.
Kowloon, 5th February, 1890. 235

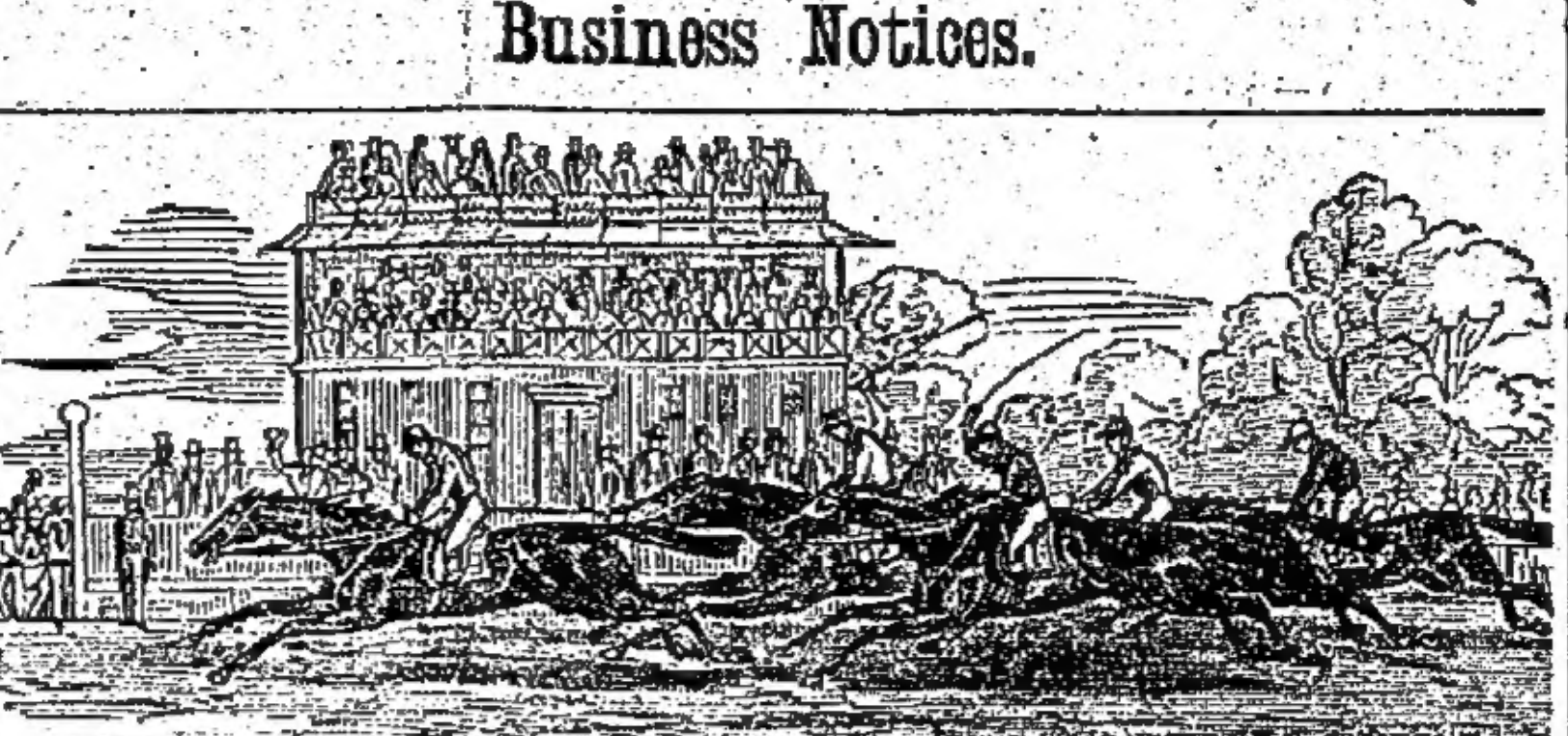
HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of the Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 14, Prince Street, Hongkong, on FRIDAY, the 23rd February, 1890, at 12 o'clock Noon, when the following Resolutions will be submitted:—
1.—That the Company do borrow from the Land Investment and Agency Company Limited the sum of Five Hundred Thousand Dollars bearing interest at the rate of seven dollars per cent. per annum for such a period on such terms and conditions and to be secured in such a manner as the Company's Directors shall think fit, and that for that purpose the said Directors do cause all necessary deeds or documents to be duly executed.
2.—That at the end of Article No. 11 of the Company's existing Articles of Association there be added the following words, with the following marginal note, that is to say:
"Limit on holding No shareholder, whether an individual, Firm, Company or Corporation shall be entitled to hold at any one time more than one thousand shares."
3.—That Article No. 49 of the Company's existing Articles of Association with its marginal note be cancelled and that in lieu thereof, the following Article and marginal note be inserted, that is to say:
"Every shareholder (if duly registered for one month previous to the Meeting at which he claims to vote but not otherwise) shall have one vote for each share up to ten and one vote for every complete additional number of ten shares."
4.—That immediately after the Company's next Ordinary Half-yearly Meeting, Article No. 63 of the Company's existing Articles of Association be cancelled and that in lieu thereof the following be inserted:—
"No person shall be eligible to the Office of Director unless he be the holder of at least fifty shares."
By Order of the Board of Directors,
DAVID GILLIES,
Secretary.
Hongkong, February 17, 1890. 319

THE HONGKONG AND KOWLOON WHARF & GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
THE Third Ordinary Annual Meeting of the SHAREHOLDERS of the Company will be held in the Chamber of Commerce Rooms at the City Hall, at Twelve o'clock (noon), on FRIDAY, the 23rd March, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1889.
The Transfer BOOKS will be CLOSED from 24th February to 7th March, both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.

EDWARD OSBORNE,
Secretary.
Hongkong, February 17, 1890. 317



FOR SALE.
RACING SADDLES, JOCKEY WHIPS, BRIDLES, REINS, HARNESS, SADDLERY AND STABLE REQUISITES OF ALL KINDS.
RACING COLOURS, RACING SCARVES AND FAVOURS.
NEW FELT AND SILK HATS.
RIDING BOOTS, JOCKEY BOOTS, RACING TOPS.
AYALA & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, February 10, 1890. 264

ROBERT LANG & Co.,
Tailors, Hatters, Hairdressers and Gentlemen's Outfitters.

W. POWELL & Co.,
(EX STEAMSHIP GLENVILLAS.)
FIRST DELIVERIES
OF
LADIES' and CHILDREN'S WHITE STRAW HATS, SERVIC FLOWERS, FEATHERS, &c., &c.
These Goods have been manufactured for us, by special arrangement, on the EARLIEST SPRING MODELS.
W. POWELL & Co.
VICTORIA BUILDING, February 1, 1890 105

Victoria Hotel,
Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Office (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place.
The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large Dining Hall.
The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms.
The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service.
Continental languages are spoken.
Messrs. DORABJEE & LING KEE,
Proprietors.
Hongkong, September 16, 1885. 1512

Intimations.
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be held at the City Hall, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 22nd day of February next, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1889.
By Order of the Court of Directors,
G. E. NOBLE,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, January 31, 1890. 182

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTER of SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 23rd, to SATURDAY, the 22nd day of February next (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered.
By Order of the Court of Directors,
G. E. NOBLE,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, January 31, 1890. 166

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Twenty-First Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Office, No. 5, Queen's Road, Victoria, on MONDAY, the 24th February next, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts, and the Report of the Directors for the year ended 31st December, 1889.
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 24th Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order,
GEO. L. TOMLIN,
Acting Secretary.
Hongkong, February 1, 1890. 201

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.
THE Ordinary Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Chamber of Commerce Rooms at the City Hall, on MONDAY, the 24th February next, at 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1889.
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 24th Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
DAVID GILLIES,
Secretary.
Hongkong, February 1, 1890. 109

COCHIN OF DIRECTORS.
Chairman—W. H. FOSBERG, Esq.
Deputy Chairman—G. L. DAILY, Esq.
V. E. BROWN, Esq. S. C. MICHAEL, Esq.
H. E. BROWN, Esq. J. S. MORIS, Esq.
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PAID-UP CAPITAL—£1,500,000
RESERVE FUND—£144,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO—£7,500,000
FRICTIONS

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Business Notices.

NOTICE.
WE Have This Day entered into PARTNERSHIP as SOLICITORS, and shall carry on Business under the Name of "HOLMES & RODK."
HENRY J. HOLMES,
ARTHUR B. RODK.
84, Queen's Road,
Hongkong, February 1, 1890. 208

Shipping.
Steamers.
DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO.
The Co.'s Steamship "Hwa Tung", will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 20th Inst., at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LARRAK & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, February 17, 1890. 316

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG.
(Taking Cargo at through rates to ANTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTERDAM, LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.)
The Steamship "Despatch", Captain L. Madsen, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 20th Instant, at 10 a.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 11, 1890. 269

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.
The Co.'s Steamship "Gungah", Captain Williams, will be despatched for the above Ports on THURSDAY, the 20th Inst. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabin are situated forward of the Engine. Second-class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 11, 1890. 154

THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.
The Co.'s Steamship "Zafra", Captain McCaslin, will be despatched for the above Port on THURSDAY, the 20th Instant, at 4 p.m., instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, February 18, 1890. 312

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
The Co.'s Steamship "Diamant", Captain Diamant, will be despatched for the above Port on FRIDAY, the 21st Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 18, 1890. 323

NORDDEUTSCHER LOYD.

NOTICE.
STEAM TO SHANGHAI.
The Co.'s Steamship "Sachsen", Captain F. K. Gossert, will leave for the above place about 24 hours after arrival with the outward German Mail.

For further Particulars, apply to
MELCHERS & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 17, 1890. 310

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE.
(Calling at TIMOR, PORT DARWIN & QUEENSLAND PORTS, and thence through to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.)
The Steamship "Zurich", Captain Zuercher, will be despatched for the above Ports on TUESDAY, the 25th Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 14, 1890. 297

Shipping.

Steamers.
THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.
FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.
The Co.'s Steamship "Singapore", Captain Wm. Durston, will be despatched for the above Ports on or about the 25th Inst.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
ADHOLD, KARBURG & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 18, 1890. 323

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
The Co.'s Steamship "Nestor", Captain Elphen, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 22nd Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 18, 1890. 263

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.
(Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-CHOWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSE.)
The Co.'s Steamship "Palamedes", Captain Jackson, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 26th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 18, 1890. 325

FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.
The Steamship "Albatros", Captain Parnis, will be despatched for the above Ports about the 24th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 18, 1890. 321

GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
The Steamship "Glen", Captain Parnis, will be despatched as above on or about the 27th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 7, 1890. 262

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGASAKI AND KOBE.
(Passing through the INLAND SEA.)
The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship "Ancora", Captain W. D. Morris, will leave for the above place on FRIDAY, the 23rd Instant, at Daylight.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, February 17, 1890. 311

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.
The Co.'s Steamship "Taipang", Captain Nelson, will be despatched as above at Noon, on SATURDAY, the 1st Prox.

The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Saloon and Cabin are situated forward of the Engine. Second-class Passengers are berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 17, 1890. 313

SHIRE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR NEW YORK.
The Steamship "Merioneth", Captain Dowling, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 4th March.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 5, 1890. 290

Sailing Vessels.

FOR HONOLULU.
The American Barque "Zurich", Captain Zuercher, will be despatched for the above Port on or about the 4th March.

For Freight or Passage, apply to
ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 11, 1890. 194

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'CHINA REVIEW'
NOW READY.

Entertainment.

AMATEUR DRAMATIC CLUB.
ALI BABA,
AND THE
FORTY THIEVES.
THE FINAL PERFORMANCE
of the above play
will take place, on
SATURDAY,
the 1st March, at 9 p.m.
Doors open at 8.30 p.m.
Tickets can be obtained at Messrs. LANE,
CRAWFORD & Co.'s, on and after Thursday,
February 20th, at 11 a.m.
Hongkong, February 17, 1890. 307

Intimations.

**HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.**
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Twenty-Fifth Ordinary Annual
MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS
in the above Company, will be held at the
Office of the Company, Paddocks Street,
on MONDAY, the 24th February instant,
at Three o'clock in the afternoon, to re-
ceive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st
December, 1889, and to elect a Consulting
Committee and Auditors.
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company
will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 24th
day of February inst., both days inclusive.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers,
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company,
Limited.
Hongkong, February 1, 1890. 206

NOTICE.

**THE SEAM LAUNCH COMPANY,
LIMITED.**

THE Second Ordinary MEETING of
the Company will be held at the
Hongkong Hotel, on TUESDAY, the
26th February, 1890, at 4 p.m.
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company
will be CLOSED from the 11th to 26th
February, 1890, both days inclusive.
By Order,
A. G. GORDON & Co., Ltd.,
Managers.
Hongkong, February 10, 1890. 267

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Ordinary
Annual MEETING of SHARE-
HOLDERS will take place at the Hongkong
Hotel, on FRIDAY, the 28th of February,
1890, at 4 o'clock, to receive the Report
and Statement of the Accounts of the Com-
pany to the 31st of December, 1889.
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company
will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 28th
day of February, both days inclusive.
J. FOREMAN,
Secretary.
Hongkong, February 12, 1890. 282

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor
Owners will be Responsible for
any Debt contracted by the Officers or
Crew of the following Vessels, during
their stay in Hongkong Harbour—

ALBAH, British brig, Capt. R. Magrath,
Butterfield & Swire.
BELLE, of Onondago, Amer. barque, Capt.
E. Matthews.—Owner.
GRACE, American ship, Captain
James F. Howell.—Master.
LILLIE BAKER, American barque, Cap.
Jas. W. Curry.—Master.
OKAWORTH, British ship, Capt. Thomas
Nalle.—W. Hewitt & Co.
OSCAR, British barque, Captain A. O.
Brown.—Master.
SAR MENDLE, British barque, Capt. D.
Gower.—Captain.

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

The Steamship
Lady,
Captain T. F. Fenn, will
be despatched for the
above Ports on FRIDAY, the 21st instant,
at 2 p.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 19, 1890. 232

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL.
The Co.'s Steamship
Albatross,
Captain R. W. Fenn, will
be despatched as above on
THURSDAY, the 27th instant.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents.
Hongkong, February 19, 1890. 324

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instruc-
tions to Sell by Public Auction, on
MONDAY,

the 24th February, 1890, at 2 p.m., at his
Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,
AN ASSORTMENT OF
JAPANESE WARE,
comprising—

KANSA, IMARI, KIOBO, SATSUMA and
TOKIO YAKES, JARS, PLATES, BOWLS,
INCENSE BURNERS, TEA and COFFEE SETS,
and ORNAMENTS.
BRONZE, WARE, EGG-SHILL WARE,
BRONZE, LACQUERED WARE, CABINETS and
BRACKETS.
KAKEMONOS, EMBROIDERIES, and EM-
BOSSMENTED SCREENS.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.
J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, February 19, 1890. 335

TO LET.

ROOMS in "COLONY BUILDING."
No. 9, SHAMPOO TERRACE.
Apply to
DAVID HASSOON, SON & Co.,
Hongkong, February 19, 1890. 33

To-day's Advertisements.

THE FISK JUBILEE SINGERS!
will commence a
SHORT SEASON
at the
THEATRE ROYAL, HONGKONG.
SATURDAY NEXT, Feb. 22nd,
and on
TUESDAY, Feb. 26th and following nights.
For a Few Nights only. 75c
With a Change of Programme Each
Evening.

The Fisk Jubilee Singers, consisting of
ten vocalists, and a pianist, was organized
in Oct. 1871, from among the students of a
Freedmen's School, in Nashville, Tenn.,
U.S.A., and during the first 2 years of
their organization they established Fisk
University at Nashville, at a cost of more
than \$30,000. The Company are now
making a trip round the World in their own
interests and have recently completed a
tour of Australasia (extending over three
years) with unparalleled success. They
have just completed a successful tour of
India, and are now en route to China and
Japan, thence returning to America, via
Frisco.

Their programmes are chiefly made up of
the unique and inimitable Sacred Songs, or
Spirituals, which were composed and sung
by the former slaves of America, prior to
emancipation, varied by
SOSOS, GLEES, QUARTETTES, &c.
by
MODERN COMPOSERS.
The Singers have had the honor of Singing
in the presence of
Her Majesty Queen Victoria
and
Seven of the other Crowned Heads of Eu-
rope, and of the Presidents of the United
States, and ten of the Governments
of Australasia and India, including His
Excellency the Viceroy of India.
PRICES OF ADMISSION:—
Dress Circle and Stalls, 2s. 6d.
Second Seats, 1s. 6d.
Plan and Tickets at Messrs. KELLY &
WATSON, LIMITED.
Doors open at 8.30; Concert at 9; Chairs
at 11 p.m.
THE FISK JUBILEE SINGERS!
Hongkong, February 19, 1890. 331

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE STWARDS request the pleasure of
the presence of the LADIES at the
GRAND STAND and ENCLOSURE during the
Races on the 26th, 27th, and 28th instant.
E. H. GORE-BOOTH,
Clerk of the Course.
Hongkong, February 19, 1890. 332

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.

RACE MEETING, 1890.

Wednesday, Thursday and Friday,
the 26th, 27th, and 28th February.
Rule 15.—Admission to the General
Stand and Enclosure: For Members of the
Jockey Club, Free; For Non-Members, 5s.
For the Meeting. For Admission to Grand
Stand, 8s. for the Meeting.
This is the date of Admission to the
Grand Stand and Enclosure to be had on
application to H. A. Herbert, Esq., Honorary
Treasurer. No one admitted without a
Ticket, to be shown to the Gatekeeper.
E. H. GORE-BOOTH,
Clerk of the Course.
Hongkong, February 19, 1890. 334

ARMY CONTRACTS.

TENDERS, in Duplicate, will be Re-
ceived for the following Articles and
Services, to be delivered to the
Tenders, at the Tenders' Office, at
HONGKONG and OUTPOSTS—
1.—For Her Majesty's Troop—PROVI-
SIONS, FUEL, LIGHT, &c.
2.—For Hospitals—PROVISIONS, FUEL,
WINE, PORT, ALE, SPIRITS, &c.
3.—For the Tenders' Office, at Hongkong and
OUTPOSTS—
4.—Washing and Repairing WAR DE-
PARTMENT BEDDING and CLOTHING.
5.—SADDLERY, SADDLES, CHAIRS, and
SUPPLYING DRY BATH to LADIES.
6.—LIGHTING and SUPPLYING OIL for EX-
TERIOR LAMPS.
7.—PURCHASE of EMPTY PORTER HOGS-
HEADS.
Samples to accompany the Tenders for
General Supplies, Hospital Supplies, and
SADDLERY, to be sent to the Tenders' Office,
at the Tenders' Office, at Hongkong and
OUTPOSTS, and any information required may be
obtained on application by letter addressed to
the D. A. A. GENERAL (B), Commissariat
Buildings, or in person, between the hours
of 10 a.m. and 4 p.m., and no Tender will
be entertained unless made on the Forms
so obtained.

Tenders to be addressed to the GENERAL
OFFICER COMMANDING, Commissariat Build-
ings, before 12 o'clock, Noon, on MON-
DAY, the 21st March, 1890, and marked on
the outside of the envelope "Tender for
Supplies or Services" as the case may be.
The Secretary of State for War does not
bind himself to accept the lowest or any
Tender.
Head Quarter Office,
Hongkong, February 19, 1890. 329

DAKIN BROTHERS OF CHINA

LIMITED.

DAKIN'S (OWN BRAND)

TOILET SOAPS.

DAKIN'S PURE TRANSPARENT
TOILET SOAP.

For Purity of Material, Delicacy of

Efficiency as a Skin Purifier,

SUPERIOR to ANY SOAP MADE.

May be used on the most delicate Skin

without fear of irritation. It produces a

soft creamy lather, that softens, whitens

and leaves the skin cool, fragrant and com-

fortable.

DAKIN'S UNSCENTED TRANSPARENT TABLETS:

Of the same quality as the preceding,

without Perfume.

DAKIN'S PURE TRANSPARENT SHAVING

The perfection of Shaving Soap.

DAKIN'S HOUSEHOLD AND TOILET

SOAPS:

Of Purest quality.

BROWN WINDSOR, WHITE WINDSOR,

HONEY, ROSE, COLTAR, &c., &c.

In boxes of 3 Tablets and in bars.

DAKIN'S PURE CARBOLIC ACID

SOAP.

Disinfecting, Medicinal, Sanitary;

Rice Scented.

Contains 20 per cent. Pure Carbolic Acid.

DAKIN'S CARBOLIC TOILET SOAP.

Contains about 10 per cent. Carbolic Acid.

Each Tablet stamped with our Name

as a guarantee of quality.

Apply to

DAVID HASSOON, SON & Co.,

Hongkong, February 19, 1890. 33

To-day's Advertisements.

HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.
NO SERVANTS will be allowed inside
the enclosure of the Race Course
during the Race Days without Tickets,
which can be had on application from the
Undersecretary.

E. H. GORE-BOOTH,
Clerk of the Course.
Hongkong, February 19, 1890. 330

CHINA-BORNEO COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE First Ordinary Yearly MEETING
of the SHAREHOLDERS in the
above Company will be held at the Hong-
kong Hotel, on THURSDAY, the 6th
March, at Noon, for the purpose of present-
ing the Report of the Directors and State-
ment of Accounts to 30th June, 1889.
The Transfer BOOKS of the Company
will be CLOSED from the 24th instant to
the 6th March, both days inclusive.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents in Hongkong & China.
Hongkong, February 19, 1890. 336

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

February 19, 1890—
Chi-yuen, Chinese str., 1,211, C. R. Nall,
Superior, for Hongkong, 17, General.—C. M. S.
N. Co.
Chun, German steamer, 674, C. Christen-
sen, Hongkong February 16, General.—A.
R. MARY.
Ling, Chinese str., 1,598, R. L.
Ling, Shanghai February 16, General.—
C. M. S. N. Co.
Deane, British steamer, 1,415, A. W.
S. Thompson, Java February 10, Sugar.
Gina, Livingston & Co.
Heath, British steamer, 1,589, Thomp-
son, New Zealand February 14, Coal.—BUT-
TERFIELD & SWIRE.
Yefoo, Chinese steamer, 1,284, Lant,
Chefoo February 12, General.—C. M. S.
N. Co.

DEPARTURES.

February 19—
Viper, French gunboat, for Canton.
Grayer, Russian cruiser, for Alaska.
Caledonia, for Europe.
Marie, for Hongkong.
Haitong, for Swatow.
Nanchow, for Swatow.
Fiji, for Hongkong & Paofoi.
Any, for Colombo.
Canton, for Swatow.

CLEARED.

Thales, for Swatow.
Michael, for Saigon.
Grayer, for Singapore and Hamburg.
Olenara, for Saigon.


PASSENGERS.

Per Chi-yuen, from Swatow, 43 Chinese.
Per Kwong Lee, from Shanghai, Miss
Hannah, and 83 Chinese.
Per Meefoo, from Chefoo, 9 Chinese.

DEPARTURES.

Per Caledonia, from Hongkong, 6:45 a.m.,
for Canton, 2 Quarters Main and 9 Quarters
of gunboat Viper, Messrs. Leachell, de Yang,
Messrs. St. Adolph and St. Blaise, and
Rev. Father Dama; for Singapore, Messrs.
Choo Choo Bee, Kierpatrick, Rev. Father
Pauze, Mr. and Mrs. Nielsen, and Mrs.
Mudgers; for Colombo, Mr. Richard
Jenkins; for Suva, Dr. M. Buchner; for
Marshall, H.E. Sir G. William de Vaux,
and Lady de Vaux and 1 child, Capt. the
Hon. J. de St. Aubyn, Capt. Sir W. Wis-
dom, Capt. Ch. de Livron (Russian Navy),
Mr. Bous de Lamoignon (French Consul-
General), Messrs. de Lamoignon, P. Ch. Maillet,
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